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PRESS SOURCE GAVE EMBOFF SUMMARY STATEMENTS PRIMIN MADE
TO NEWSMEN PRIOR 10:30 CABINET MEETING THIS MORNING PRIMIN
MADE FOLLOWING POINTS:

(1) CABINET TO DISCUSS EVERY FACET CUBAN SITUATION AS
IT AFFECTS CANADIAN POLICY TOWARD CUBA WHICH UNDER CONSTANT
REVIEW.

(2) NO REQUEST FROM USG FOR CHANGE IN CANADIAN POLICY RE
CUBA.

(3) IN MAKING SUGGESTION FOR ON-SITE INSPECTION CUBA IN
HOUSE COMMONS OCT 22 PRIMIN WAS NOT QUESTIONING ACCURACY
US INTELLIGENCE BUT MADE SUGGESTION IN ORDER REMOVE DOUBTS
WHICH MAY EXIST OTHER QUARTERS.

(4) IF SOVIET UNION OR CUBA REJECTS ON-SITE INSPECTION
IMPLICATIONS WOULD BE CLEAR.

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NOTE: Mr. Bieling (EUR) notified 10-23-62 CWU-M

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